

Overview

To commemorate Earth Day 2004, EPA New England will again be recognizing New Englanders for their outstanding contributions on behalf of our region’s environment. For more than three decades, the Environmental Merit Awards program has honored teachers, citizen activists, business leaders, scientists, young people, public officials and others who committed to protecting public health and preserving and nurturing our natural surroundings.

Our **annual award** recognizes individuals, businesses, governmental agencies, not-profits, professional associations, and colleges and universities **whose work on behalf of the environment during the past year** is worthy of recognition.

Our **lifetime achievement award** is reserved for individuals who have demonstrated a considerable and sustained commitment toward improving New England’s environment during a career or a lifetime.



Organized Parents Against Lead is lauded for their work to educate and prevent lead poisoning in Rhode Island.

The New England Chapter of the American Public Works Association is recognized for sponsoring an environmental self audit program at hundreds of DPW facilities across the region.



Jonathan Kraft and a representative from Beacon Skanska accept congratulations for Gillette Stadium’s environmentally friendly design.



Eugenia Marks receives honors for her dedication to the preservation and restoration of Rhode Island’s environment.

Application Process

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| December 29, 2003 | Opening of nomination period |
| February 2, 2004 | Closing of nomination period |
| April 1, 2004 | Selection process completed, notification process begins |
| April 22, 2004 | Environmental Merit Awards Ceremony,
Historic Faneuil Hall, Boston, Massachusetts |

For more information on the Environmental Merit Awards program or to see information on previous winners, please visit www.epa.gov/ne/ra/ema/index.html or call Carol Krasauskis at the EPA Customer Service Office at: 1-888-EPA-7341.

Please return nomination forms to:

Carol Krasauskis
EPA (Mail Code RAA)
1 Congress St.
Boston, MA 02114

Environmental Merit Award

2004 Annual Award Nomination Form

Lifetime
Nomination
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Please fill out and return this nomination form along with a one page summary of **accomplishments completed during the past year**, which address the seven criteria listed below. Supporting materials such as news clippings and testimonials are accepted. Self-nominations are permissible. EPA will review all nominations and select winners based on the information provided. Entries will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- T ability to address an environmental problem or need
- T long-term effects on the environment
- T collaboration with others
- T accomplishment of stated goals
- T ability of the program/activity to be replicated or widely shared
- T clarity and effectiveness of the presentation
- T promotion of innovative ideas, or techniques

Your nomination must be postmarked no later than February 2, 2004

Nominate for Annual Award

nomination form	1-page description	supporting materials
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(please select a category)

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| <input type="radio"/> individual | <input type="radio"/> business, industry, trade or professional organization |
| <input type="radio"/> government | <input type="radio"/> environmental, community, academia or nonprofit organization |

(please type or print clearly)

Submitted by	Name of nominee
Contact Name	Group or Affiliation:
Address
City	Address
State	City
Zip code	State
Phone #	Zip code
Fax #	Phone #
Email Address	Fax #
Date	Email Address

- Nominee must be a resident, business, government, academic or not for profit organization located in New England
- EPA strongly encourages the nomination of individuals and organizations who have not previously been recognized through this program.
- EPA will review the compliance and enforcement history of all nominees with respect to all federal, state, and local environmental laws and regulations.

Environmental Merit Award

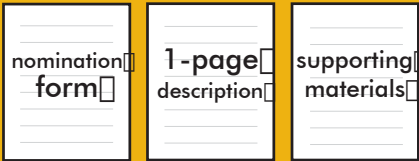
2004 Lifetime Achievement Award

Nomination Form

Please fill out and return this nomination form along with a one page summary of **environmental achievements and accomplishments of the nominee over his or her lifetime**. Supporting materials such as news clippings and testimonials are accepted. Self-nominations are permissible. EPA will review all nominations and select winners based on the information provided.

Your nomination must be postmarked no later than February 2, 2004

Nominate for Lifetime Achievement Award



Category

☐ individual

(please type or print clearly)

Submitted by

Contact Name

Address

City

State

Zip code

Phone #

Fax #

Email Address

Date

Name of nominee

Group or Affiliation:

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EPA would like to celebrate the hard work and environmental accomplishments of outstanding individuals and organizations in New England.

